Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—It is a question that cannot be answered. Patients are admitted for treatment.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Whether in-patients are lying on the verandahs?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—I misunderstood the word 'lying' for 'dying'. Many patients are lying on the verandahs.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Is it not a strong ground for extending the building so that these may be accommodated inside? Will the Government be pleased to attend to the needs of the dispensary as early as possible?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—When funds permit.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Is any provision made for any extension of this building this year?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—No.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know the reason why?

Mr. President.—Want of funds is the only reason.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—I am sorry I am only placing before the House and the Government the dire needs of a dispensary at the head-quarters of a taluk and this is taken, I find, in a half hearted fashion for it is said in answer 'when funds permit this will be attended to'. This is a sorrowful state of things for my constituency.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Are not Appendices to be read when answering questions?

Mr. President.—No.

Concession to Depressed Class Students.

53. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the Government is not granting some concessions to members of backward and 'depressed' class communities when they undergo their education in State schools regarding tuition fees;

(b) whether the same concession is extended to State students undergoing their educational career in institutions outside where seats have been reserved for State students?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—(a) Yes.

(b) No.

Potteries—Training of apprentices.

54. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.— Will the Government be pleased to state:—

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what the terms of the agreement are that the Government have entered into with the present Pottery Expert regarding the training of apprentices?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar.— The terms are that the Government Pottery Expert "will train apprentices appointed by the Government in the art and manufacture of Pottery for the term of years specified by the Government and in accordance with the curricula of studies approved by the Government without any extra remuneration".

Amendments to the Legislative Council Regulation, Rules and Standing Orders.

55. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.— Will the Government be pleased to place a copy of all the amendments made to the Legislative Council Regulation, the Legislative Council Rules and Standing Orders up-to-date on the table?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar.— A copy each of the Regulation, Rules and Standing Orders with all amendments noted therein is placed on the Council table.

Subscriptions and donations—1108.

56. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to give a date-war statement of account 'donations and subscriptions' in the year 1108?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar.—A statement containing the information is appended. *(Vide Appendix V).*

Average annual income of a person in the State.

57. Mr. P. Raman Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether they have any data to show the present average annual income of a person in the State;

(b) whether the said annual income has increased or decreased during the last ten years; if so, how much?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—(a) No.

(b) There is no information.

Villages of Kattur Constituency—Statement of revenue and expenditure.

58. Mr. K. M. Kunhi Moideen.— Will the Government place on the table a statement showing the annual

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